

## POLICE DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT

May 11, 2011

April saw an increase in criminal mischiefs. On April 28<sup>th</sup> a subject was arrested for criminal mischief and domestic violence after he broke a window belonging to his ex-roommate. On April 23<sup>rd</sup> two individuals were arrested for criminal mischief after being connected to several “tagging” incidents in the downtown area over a couple day periods.

Officers also responded to a reported domestic disturbance at the WSC library on April 28<sup>th</sup>. During the investigation they determined the male party in the incident had violated a restraining order and left the library prior to officer’s arrival. The subject was contacted later and when he was informed he was under arrest the subject resisted hitting one of the officers and running. The subject was taken into custody after a foot chase, which resulted in the subject being tazed and physically restrained.

April also saw another mental health transport to Grand Junction and a second subject held overnight in jail before he could be evaluated by mental health and released. Four people were also placed in jail for protective holds due to intoxication.

Reports Taken	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
Alcohol violations	5	3	6	4
Assaults	2	5	1	4
Burglaries	4	1	3	4
Controlled Substances	2	2	4	8
Criminal Mischief	2	5	2	18
Disorderly Conduct	2	2	6	3
Disturbing the Peace	6	3	5	10
DUI	0	2	5	1
FTA	1	4	4	2
Harassment	5	8	9	7
Thefts	11	9	24	22
Trespass	4	5	14	16

The RX return activity ended with 28 pounds of medications collected. This is down from last year but still considered a huge success to get the unwanted drugs out of circulation. This program has been expanded by DEA from once a year to every six months

Rob is winding down the school year. The 7<sup>th</sup> grade prevention program; co-taught with Stacie Dowis will complete the last Project ALERT lesson next Monday, May 16<sup>th</sup>. During April officers spent time in the middle school, high school and WSC classes to help with: career exploration, sociology classes, prevention/health classes, social studies.

Rob is also keeping the car seat program going, averaging three inspections per week. We have car seats from birth to eight years old that were provided by the western slope regional occupant protection coalition, to distribute to low income parents. The cost for

the seats starts at \$15 for booster seats and the money helps to perpetuate the program. This will help, with the new State booster law formally in place in August, requiring kids under eight to ride in boosters.

We received notification of overtime funding for DUI enforcement, through CDOT, in the amount of \$1800. The money can be used on four identified enforcement periods during the remainder of 2011. Rob also received notification that the PDD Grant was renewed for the 2011/2012 fiscal period in the amount of \$25,000. The PDD Grant is the funding source for most of the outreach programs the department has been involved in over the years. Programs deal with drug and alcohol education, prevention and pay associated material and some employee costs. Programs supported through this grant are parenting classes for parents of teens, REIJ and WSC prevention programs, Partners Day Camp in the summer, TIPS training for WSC and Local Liquor Licensees, MRT program, the department Good Neighbor activity in the fall, etc.

On the 27<sup>th</sup> of April Peggy Castenholz completed her six month training program which included three months of CTO Training, three months observation while on her own and taking and passing the CCIC/NCIC test, congratulations to Peggy. Also on the 27<sup>th</sup> Chuck did the annual National Park Service communications training for the new seasonal park service employees. On the 28<sup>th</sup> Laurie Sherman and Chuck attended the bi-monthly RICC (Regional Interoperability Communications Committee) comprised of Communications Directors and dispatch supervisors for Gunnison, Montrose, Delta, Mesa, San Miguel, West Montrose County and Colorado State Patrol, a committee to discuss all things involving dispatch functions, very productive meeting. Over all, as slow a month as it gets in emergency services dispatching, here comes summer.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
Ambulance Pages	127	144	146	144
Fire Pages	46	47	47	32
EMD calls	27	23	28	24
9-1-1 Calls	360	448	335	408
Admin	12832	11583	13592	11442
Search and Rescue Calls			5	2

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